

Application No. 10/748,432  
Amdt. dated December 7, 2005  
Reply to Final Office Action of September 9, 2005

### **REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

Claims 15-18, 21-36 are under examination in the application. The Office Action mailed on March 17, 2005, includes the following rejections:

1. Claims 15-36 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph.

Applicant respectfully addresses the basis for each of the Examiner's rejections below.

#### ***Claim Rejections – Claims 15-36 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, First paragraph***

The Action rejects Claims 15-36 under 35 U.S.C. § 112 1st paragraph, as failing to comply with the written description requirement. Applicant submits that the claims as amended are fully supported in the specification. Applicant amends herewith the claims to expedite the prosecution of this case to allowance, and does so without prejudice or loss of equivalents in subsequent claims in continuation applications. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner withdraw the rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 112 and allowance of the claims.

### **Conclusion**

In light of the remarks and arguments presented above, Applicant respectfully submits that the claims in the Application are in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration and allowance of the pending Claims 15-36 are therefore respectfully requested.

If the Examiner has any questions or comments, or if further clarification is required, it is requested that the Examiner contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

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Respectfully submitted,



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